Sunday June 26th 3.00pm onwards

Richard Parry and his followers will visit the Fort as part of their tour of Wales

Free entry

Coleridge in Wales

FESTIVAL

remarkable journeys with a great poet



Exhibitions. Poetry. Music. Discussion

In 1794 Samuel Taylor Coleridge set off on a walking tour round Wales. Finding inspiration in the beautiful Welsh landscape he dreamed of founding a new and fairer society based on spirituality and equality of opportunity. Wales influenced his poetry and in 1797/8 he wrote his two most famous poems, 'The Rime of the Ancient Mariner' and 'Kubla Khan'.

His journey will be recreated when the singer, Richard Parry, sets off with a band of artists, poets, musicians, actors, environmentalists, philosophers, politicians, theologians, cooks and story-tellers to follow in Coleridge's footsteps around Wales, starting in May near Cardiff and finishing in August at the National Eisteddfod in Abergavenny. The Festival will explore and share the celebrated poetry and influential thinking of Coleridge as the group moves through the Welsh countryside, to villages, towns and cities, travelling on foot, and by bike, boat, and public transport.

Richard Parry

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